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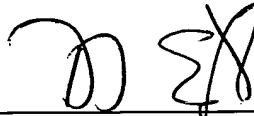
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**Relevance of Foreign Language Documents**

**1. SU627299**

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